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Office Application

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SC/Serial No.: 08/890,294

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Title: CHARACTER RECOGNITION
EDUCATIONAL SYSTEM

PATENT APPLICATION

Art Unit: 3302

Examiner: Rovnak, J.

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Signature Date: October 10, 1997

RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted with this communication in connection with the above-identified application are the following:

- ☒ A Preliminary Amendment pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.115
- ☐ A Response under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 to the Office Action dated ____.
- ☐ A Petition for an Extension of Time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136.
- ☐ A Verified Statement pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.27 to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9(f).
- ☐ An Information Disclosure Statement pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.56.

The fee associated with this communication has been calculated as shown below:

- ☒ No fee is required with this communication.
- ☒ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 has been established.
- ☐ A fee for extension of time for response under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 filed within __ month(s) after the original time for response of \$___ is due.
- ☐ A fee of \$220.00 is due for the submission of the accompanying Information Disclosure Statement.
- ☐ A fee for addition of claims under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 is due as follows:

Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Previously Paid For		Number Extra	Rate	Small Entity/ Other Than Small Entity
Total						\$11.00
Claims <u>16</u>	-	<u>20</u>	=	<u>0</u> *	X	\$22.00 = \$
Independent						\$41.00
Claims <u>6</u>	-	<u>6</u>	=	<u>0</u> *	X	\$82.00 = \$
First Presentation of						\$135.00
Multiple Dependent Claim(s) __						\$270.00= \$

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Additional Fee = \$ 0

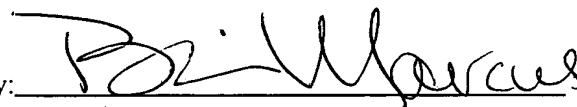
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- ☐ A check in the amount of \$___ is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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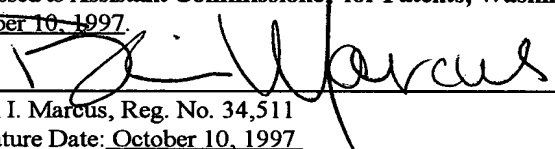
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.115

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 9, 1997 in the parent patent application, Serial No. 08/581,437, please enter the following amendments and remarks into the above-identified application.

Please amend the claims as follows: